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To: Commissioner for Patents
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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL - UTILITY

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a **utility** patent application:

Inventor(s): Montgomery et al.

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DETECTING POSTAGE FRAUD USING
A UNIQUE MAILPIECE INDICIUM

I. PAPERS ENCLOSED HERewith FOR FILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(b):

- 82 Page(s) of Written Description
- 25 Page(s) Claims
- 1 Page(s) Abstract
- 33 Sheets of Drawings ☒ Informal ☐ Formal

II. ADDITIONAL PAPERS ENCLOSED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS FILING:

- ☒ Declaration
- ☒ Power of Attorney ☒ Separate ☐ Combined with Declaration
- ☒ Assignment to PSI Systems, Inc. and assignment cover sheet
- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document No(s):
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement w/PTO 1449 ☒ Copy of Citations
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35
- ☒ Return Postcard
- ☐ Other:

III. PRIORITY

- ☐ Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

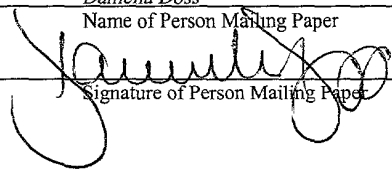
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BASIC FILING FEE:								\$740.00
Total Claims	90	-	20	=	70	x	\$18.00	\$1,260.00
Independent Claims	7	-	3	=	4	x	\$84.00	\$336.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)					<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS								\$2,336.00
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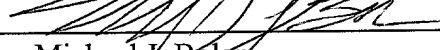
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